

2026 – 1st Quarter BWC Report

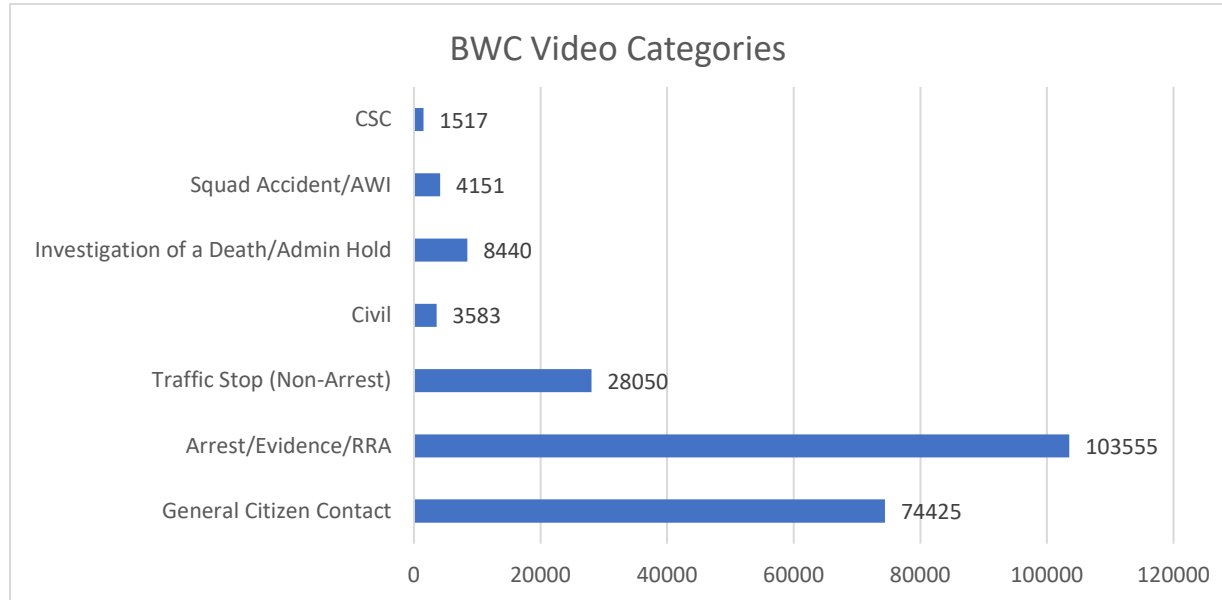
By the Numbers



This [quarterly BWC report](#) gives transparency to SPPD's compliance with its BWC policies. Specifically, the Quality Control Processes found in [G.O. 442.19](#).

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Date Range	Total Videos Submitted	Total Hours of Video
January 1, 2026 to March 31, 2026	142,767	26,629.97



Note: some videos have more than one category assigned

Mandatory Recording Audit Summary

SPPD conducts weekly audits to ensure officers are recording per the [BWC policy](#). Follow-up occurs in all cases of potentially missing video to identify whether or not a policy violation exists.

Due to the Digital Security Incident, the city experienced from August to October 2025, we were unable to collect data for Week 1 in 2026.

WEEK	DATES	TOTAL VIDEOS EXPECTED	HUMAN REVIEW MISSING
1	01/01/2026 - 01/04/2026	0	0
2	01/05/2026 - 01/11/2026	2681	0
3	01/12/2026 - 01/18/2026	2695	2
4	01/19/2026 - 01/25/2026	2343	1
5	01/26/2026 - 02/01/2026	2679	1
6	02/02/2026 - 02/08/2026	2758	2
7	02/09/2026 - 02/15/2026	2722	2
8	02/16/2026 - 02/22/2026	2812	2
9	02/23/2026 - 03/01/2026	3106	2
10	03/02/2026 - 03/08/2026	3294	0
11	03/09/2026 - 03/15/2026	3292	2
12	03/16/2026 - 03/22/2026	3020	2
13	03/23/2026 - 03/29/2026	3308	2
14	03/30/2026 - 04/05/2026	3219	1

BWC Review Committee Summary

The BWC Review Committee meets twice monthly and reviews randomly selected videos for compliance with BWC policy, per [G.O. 442.18](#).

Total Videos Reviewed	
120	

Employee Rank	
Officer	116
Sergeant	3
Commander	1
Sr. Commander	0
District Chief	0
Deputy Chief	0
Assistant Chief	0
Chief	0

Employee Division	
Chief's Office	0
Operations	115
Major Crimes	2
Support Services	0
Community Engagement	3

Video Category *	
Civil	12
General Citizen Contact	36
Traffic Stop (Non-Arrest)	14
Squad Accident/AWI	13
Arrest/Evidence/RRA	21
CSC	12
Investigation of a Death/Admin Hold	12

BWC Quality Control Work Sheet Data Points			
	Yes	No	N/A
Owner is correct	120	0	0
Case Number correct	120	0	0
Category correct/appropriate	120	0	0
Uploaded within policy	120	0	0
Activated prior to arrival (dispatched calls)	111	0	9
Buffer = 30 Seconds (or proper exception)	119	0	1
If required, does RMS Report Exist?	30	0	90
BWC correctly reported in eForms	30	0	90
Recording ended appropriately	119	0	1
Reviewer has checked audit log for video	119	0	1
If viewed by officer or investigator, were post notes added?	14	0	106

Mandatory External Audit

SPPD has engaged an external vendor to conduct a thorough audit pursuant to [MN State Statute 13.825](#) and SPPD [BWC policy](#). This audit was completed on July 17, 2026, with no deficiencies and is posted for review.

2026 Independent Biennial Audit	
Status: Completed 1st Quarter 2026 Next due 2nd Quarter 2026	